

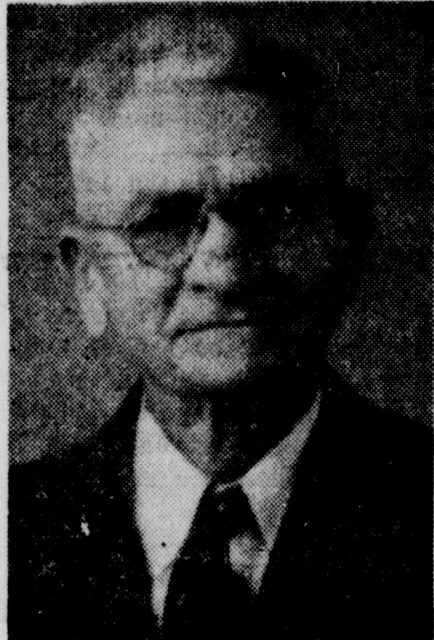
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Mr. and Mrs. M. P. May Celebrated Golden Wedding Anniversary Last Sunday



Mr. and Mrs. M. P. May were honored by their children with a reception Sunday afternoon, April 25, on their Golden Wedding Anniversary, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ezell on Union Avenue.

For the occasion the entertaining rooms were beautifully decorated with cut flowers and blooming plants emphasizing a color theme of gold and white which was used in all appointments.

In the dining room the tea table was covered with a white cutwork linen cloth and centered with talisman roses in a double heart arrangement framed in frills of gold organdy. Tall golden candles lighted the table, and were also used on the buffet which held a large bowl of Calla lilies. The gold and white theme was repeated in the tea plate and favors which were miniature bouquets of gold and white flowers tied with gold and white ribbons.

Guests were welcomed by Mr. and Mrs. Ezell and directed to the receiving line which included the honorees, Mr. and Mrs. May, Mr. and Mrs. Tate May, James Tate May, Mrs. C. C. Rister, Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. May, Bobby May, Dr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. M. P. May, Jr.

Mrs. C. V. Callan of Rotan, and Miss Edwina Gilbert invited guests into the dining room where Mrs. H. E. East served cakes and Mrs. J. Henry Littleton of Anson poured punch. Assisting them were Mrs. W. C. Russell, Mrs. Clyde Angel, of Big Spring and Miss Dorothy Saxon of Abilene.

In a room where gifts were displayed were photographs of Mr. and Mrs. May made at the time of their marriage, and a recent picture of them, framed in a double gold heart.

Mrs. Louis Rector of McCaulley, and Mrs. W. F. Johnson registered names in the guest book which was also fashioned to emphasize the double golden heart theme.

Others included in the house party were Mrs. Cecile Saxon of Abilene, Mrs. Walton Tate of Lubbock, Mrs. Laura Woods of McCaulley, Mrs. Onis Crawford, Miss Lennie Greenway, Mrs. W. R. Wilkerson, Mrs. W. L. Boyd, Mrs. H. O. Cassle, Mrs. W. A. Albritton, Mrs. J. C. Greenway, Mrs. Cleve Dunn, Miss Mary McIntosh, and Mrs. Levi McCullum and Miss Mary Ann McCollum of McCaulley.

MARRIED IN ALABAMA

Miss Emma Lee Tate and Marcus Parker May were married April 25, 1893, in a church in Cuba, Alabama. The service was read by the Rev. Frank Pond. Mr. and Mrs. May made their home in Alabama until 1908 when they moved to McCaulley, then in 1917 they moved to Lamesa and in 1920 they came to Hamlin where they have since made their home. Through all these years they have both been and are still active in church work. Mr. May is a deacon of the First Baptist church and for many years Mrs. May has been a teacher in the Sunday School and a worker in the Woman's Missionary Society. On Sunday morning they were presented a white pottery vase filled with beautiful golden daffodils from the church.

Mr. and Mrs. May are parents of five sons and two daughters, Mrs. Carl C. Rister, Norman, Oklahoma, Tate May, Hamlin; Robert A. May, Colorado City; John May in the U. S. Army, Garden City, Kansas; Mrs. Frank Johnson, Rotan; Truett May, in the U. S. Navy, San Diego, Calif.,

and M. Parker May Jr., Cincinnati, Ohio. All were here for the Golden Wedding Anniversary except the two sons in service.

In the May family are five grandchildren, James Tate May, son of Tate May; Bobby May, son of Robert A. May; Margaret Mary and Irene May, daughters of Truett May and Carol Anne May, daughter of M. Parker May, Jr.

Safeway Gave A Full Day's Sales To Bonds

L. A. Warren, president Safeway Stores, Inc., designated that the entire sales of the Safeway organization on last Wednesday, April 28, would be used for the purchase of War Bonds. Mr. Tate May, Hamlin chairman of the Second War Loan Committee, at once expressed his pleasure and said: "Coming just as we finish the final week of this all important campaign, this is a grand idea that should go a long way toward helping us reach our quota. Here is a plan that gave every one a chance to add their dollars to the war effort."

Mr. F. O. Burns, division manager, Safeway Stores, Inc., in discussing the plan with Hamlin officials said: "We gave this matter serious consideration and decided that by handling it in this manner we would be sharing with our customers the grand opportunity of helping to put this drive across."

"You know," he said, "there are still many who have subscribed for all the Stamps and Bonds they can buy, but now what they had to save for food can also go to buying equipment for our forces over sea and speed the day of victory."

Mr. Horace Justice, local Safeway manager said, "We made preparations for the biggest sale in our history, because everybody eats and everybody wants to do all they can to raise our quota, and this plan is one that will get both jobs done."

ABILENE DISTRICT CONFERENCE

The Abilene District Conference of the Methodist church was held in Baird on Wednesday of this week. Thirty charges representing more than fifty churches in the Abilene District were represented, Dr. C. A. Bickley, District Superintendent, presided over sessions.

Dr. Harold G. Cooke, President of McMurry College, delivered the message at the morning service. Mr. E. M. Connell, of Anson, who is District Lay Leader, presided over a great layman's meeting at the evening service.

Approximately 500 additions to the church were reported for these five and half months of the work in the District. Finances as reported were in good condition throughout the District.

Mrs. L. H. McBride, Mrs. C. P. Yates, Mr. A. B. Carlton, and Rev. J. E. Harrell attended the meeting from Hamlin. The next session of the District Conference will be held at Hamlin.

This is Dr. Bickley's sixth and last year on the Abilene District. Under his efficient capable leadership, the District has made rapid and healthful progress during this time. Under the law of the church Dr. Bickley will have to go back into the pastorate at the close of this year.

This Is What Makes Texas A Great State

The "Jeep" campaign for the Hamlin High school ended Tuesday, April 20th. This campaign was begun on April 2nd in answer to the War Department's appeal to all school children in the United States to purchase stamps and bonds to pay for 10,000 Jeeps. The quota for Texas was 354 Jeeps. Texas alone has bought 8,000 Jeeps in this same campaign. Hamlin High school entered the drive to buy at least one Jeep. The response was so good that the students were asked to buy more. At the close of the campaign, they had purchased \$5,318.75 worth of stamps and bonds.

Freshman Class	\$ 850.00
Sophomore Class	860.65
Junior Class	2,542.85
Senior Class	1,065.15
TOTAL	\$5,318.75

A. D. Barry, Principal

(The Herald wants to add—that this is the spirit that makes Texas great. It takes something besides acres to make greatness—so right here let us say that if the school children has as much money on deposit in Hamlin as the grownups our Bond quota would have been doubled the first week. FINE! Kids, FINE!

Purple Heart Awarded To Private First Class Harold A. Garrison

Mrs. Ellie Lee Essary received last Friday the parchment bearing the Purple Heart, an award given to the next of kin for men killed in action in defense of their country. It reads as follows: (The Purple Heart, embossed in purple and gold, bearing the United States Coat of Arms and the George Washington likeness within the heart is at the top):

"THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
To All Who Shall See These Presents, Greetings:

This is to certify that the President of the United States of America pursuant to authority vested in him by Congress has awarded THE PURPLE HEART, established by General Washington at Newburgh, New York, August 7, 1782, to Pvt. 1st Class Harold A. Garrison, A. S. No. 6295196, for Military Merit and for Wounds Received in Action, resulting in his death, January 31, 1942.

Given under my hand in the City of Washington, This 1st Day of April, 1943.

Henry A. Stimson,
Secretary of War
J. A. Ulio, Major General
The Adjutant General

(This award will likely be framed and placed under the picture of the deceased soldier, with the pictures in the Red Cross windows).

(Mrs. Essary has two more sons, Staff Sgt. William G. Garrison, somewhere on the Pacific, and Pvt. John W. Essary, Jr., in Camp Wheeler, Georgia.)

LITTLE BOY GRATTFUL FOR FRIENDS' REMEMBRANCES

Roy Mahaffey Jr. of the Plasterco community has recently returned from the hospital where he had an operation for appendicitis. He wishes to thank his schoolmates at Swedonia and all others for the many letters, flowers and visits and for the nice gift made by the men at the Plaster Mill. Roy Jr. is 13 years old.

Dr. Fred R. Baker, Eye Specialist and 33 years an optometrist in Texas, who comes up from San Angelo one day each month and offices at the Hamlin Hotel, dropped into the Herald office this Wednesday and handed us a check for a War Bond saying, "I notice your appeal to people to make up Hamlin's quota, here's my check for a Bond." OK, Doctor, we'll have Tate to mail that bond down to you. You see "every little bit helps." We got a war on you know. Thank you.

Mrs. J. H. Feagan was here last week for several days to look after her home and other interests. Mrs. Feagan has been spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. C. S. Funk in Rotan.

Hamlin People Buy \$142,025.00 War Bonds Two More Days To Go!

Tate May, local chairman of the War Bond Drive in Hamlin, reported at 10:00 A. M. Thursday that this community had purchased \$142,025.00 worth of War Bonds and we had then two more days to go on this drive.

In estimating Hamlin's quota, basing it on 9 1-2 per cent of the individual deposits, as of December 31, it would be around \$150,000.00, so as the hours come to a close for this the greatest of all War Bond Drives, we ALL shall feel disappointed if we do not exceed the quota. Let us back up a bit. We said ALL would be disappointed... not so. Every person, be he man or woman who refuses to lend his money to the government in this time of need, HE or SHE will not be disappointed. That's the plain truth.

Now let us sum up the way this community has responded. First, have WE responded on a level with what our boys have done or will do? NO! That would be impossible. Money can't do everything. It does not mean everything at all. But let's see... The Hamlin Farmers & Merchants National Bank has purchased

\$150,000 worth of government securities since April first. The individuals (up to ten A. M. Thursday) had bought \$142,025.00 in bonds, and that's a mighty good showing, regardless, for this community... \$292,025.00 and two more days to go.

Now let's look a bit further. In the days, months, and maybe years to come, there's going to be another call. Bound to be. We have NOT won the war yet. And if one has some "sparable money" the cry of the men, the ever increasing number of men, who from day to day step out from this America to fight our battles, across the oceans, we say their cry will be heard and answered. Mark you well!

Don't wait with the idea that "Well, I'll get in on the next one." Our soldier boys don't say, "I'll wait, maybe my buddies will do the trick and there may not be a next time." Now is the time to kick in and forget about whether your money is needed to make a "quota", and forget that there might be another chance later to buy. Now is the time to show your colors

Heads Rotary Club



EDDIE JAY, New President

The Hamlin Rotary Club will look mostly to Eddie Jay, the new President, for its continued successful operation next year. His term of office will begin the first Wednesday in July.

Rotarians Attended District Conference

Abilene was host to the 57 Rotary clubs of the 127th District in its Sixth Conference, the past Sunday and Monday. There were about 450 registrations and all clubs had representatives there except about three.

From Hamlin, President Frank Waggoner and Mrs. Waggoner led in making registrations Sunday afternoon. Others going at the same time were, President-elect, Eddie Jay and Mrs. Jay, Rotarian Bowen Pope and Mrs. Pope, Rotarian Horace Justice and Mrs. Justice and Rotarian J. E. Moody. On Monday Rotarian W. A. Albritton and Mrs. Albritton, and daughter, Mrs. Leon Thurman joined in the enjoyment of the various programs.

This Conference was outstanding in many ways. Some of the best speakers in the nation were there, and Abilene people left nothing undone that was possible to make the visitors feel welcome and remember the two days a long time.

Three addresses were delivered by the famous lecturer and humorist, Hon. Jeff Williams of Chickasha, Oklahoma, and another Rotarian of national standing was D. D. Monroe of Clayton, New Mexico, who also is a wonderful speaker.

All Rotarians were given a direct inspection of Camp Berkeley, where every type of military training, almost, was seen in full swing. This was the first time many of the visitors had ever seen a big army

camp in its daily actions.

Monday night's program was held at the largest USO building in Abilene, and to see what elaborate provision has been made for the entertainment of our men, and the dignity and perfectness everything that has been done to build up and keep high their morale in such buildings in this war, was worth any American's time to go see. The USO, wherever it may be, is the soldier's home, where he can have the best, privacy and also public entertainment, and Abilene has one of the finest in Texas.

The whole theme of Rotary this year was "We must carry on; we must not allow faint-heartedness; we must realize that such things as Rotary can not live where freedom does not prevail; that this America has yet only skimmed its barrel of resources; that only a few have yet made sacrifice; that we have not yet begun to fight; that nowhere in our make-up are we narrowly revengeful, or would ask anything of any nation but to quit building a fighting machine to war upon helpless people."

In times like unto what we are going through and what we must experience, it is good for men and

THIS WEEK

A LITTLE BIT ABOUT

This

AND A LITTLE BIT OF

THAT

—Heck no! It won't hurt... ask your neighbor about his boy, get his address, then drop him a letter of courage... tell him that you are letting Uncle Sam have some money to help him win the war... and say, maybe it would not hurt to let him know WHO are the ones who won't buy bonds. Only be careful you are correct... but heck, it will not hurt for the boys to know "Who is Who" back home... so they will know how to act towards them.

—Everybody who wants the blood of a soldier on his head, can get it there in a hundred ways, one of which is to sit around growling and doing nothing for the kids... no use in bragging about anything you have done or might do... if everything you have got is stripped off your back till you are as naked as a picked chicken, then you have more, for sure, than our soldiers who need your money to finance this war.

—Did you know that the Hamlin country is cashing in on the chicken business, eggs, hens, fryers. O gosh! Those young chickens barbecued or even fried... dumplings are good "yit."

—Victory gardens are looking good too, only they need a rain... and the wheat, what fine wheat in this country. Not a big acreage but what you see is fine and rich green, heading and a little rain would not hurt...

—It now looks like Our Forces will knock the "L" out of old Rommel. Then it will be just Romm. The "L" is what must be knocked out of 'em, before they will surrender unconditionally.

—This is the end of April, now what's your guess as to when WE will finish mopping up in Tunisia? If it is June first, we will have six more fine bombing months before another winter starts in... it does seem like Germany and Italy would get about all they want from US by then... maybe not... but unconditionally will be the watch word till it comes, unconditionally.

women to keep in close contact, to keep up the proper spirit, and it is good for them to joke and laugh as well as to grieve and pray. Yes, such gatherings as the few Hamlin folks attended in Abilene this week was a kind of patriotic and religious revival. None of us have too much of that.

National Music Week Will Be Observed By Schubert Club

Lions Elect Officers At Tuesday Meeting

The Lions Club set the way for another successful year Tuesday, when they selected new officers and directors. They are:

President, Haskell Carter.
1st Vice-pres., Herman McBride.
2nd Vice-pres., Art Carmichael.
3rd Vice-pres., Harold Bonner.
Sec'y-Treas., Theo Johnson.
Tall Twister, Holly Toler.
Lion Tamer, Harry Dodson.
Song Leader, Bill Eysen.
2 yr. Directors, Roy Glibreath and Ambrose Spencer.
1 yr. Director, Ely Baggett (To fill vacancy of Holly Toler).
Carry over Director, John D. Ferguson.

Mrs. W. E. Dunnam and daughter Mrs. Harold J. Cross have returned from Temple after spending a week with Mrs. Dunnam's daughter, Mrs. Pat Watts and family and other relatives in Temple, Belton, Hubbard, Seattle, Cold Spring and Flat, Texas. Mrs. Cross is staying with her parents for a short time, but will return to Washington, D. C., where Lt. Cross is attending adjutant General school.

The Schubert Club will observe National Music Week by taking a program to the Lions Club, Tuesday, May 4, a program to the Rotary Club on Wednesday, May 5, and will give a program for the Music Lovers Club in Anson, Friday, May 7.

The final program for the week will be given Sunday evening, May 9, at 8:30 o'clock at the First Baptist church when the club will bring the following program of sacred music, with Mrs. W. C. Russell, director and Miss Edwina Gilbert accompanist.

The public is cordially invited to hear the program.

Tread Softly, Choir.
Prayer, Rev. Harrell.
Response, Mrs. Tom Vaughan and Choir.
Medley of old hymns.
Solo, Mrs. Willard Maberry.
Precious Promise, Choir.
Moment by Moment, Choir.
Duet, Mrs. Herman McBride and Mrs. Bill Rountree.
Depth of Mercy! Can There Be, Choir.
There Is A Name I Love to Hear, Choir.
Sextette, Mesdames Clements, Walton, Ferguson, Farrow, Albritton and Hackley.
Whisper A Prayer, Choir.
Benediction, Rev. East.

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George Darden Makes Dallas News

WINNING THE WAR

George Darden in the Hamlin Herald: Comment No. 2. It seems that only about ninety persons turned out to hear John Lee Smith in Abilene the other day where he was guest speaker in the million dollar War Bond drive for Taylor County. Well, when a city as large as Abilene is no more interested than shown at the First Baptist church in Abilene on last Sunday, then we say to the Lieutenant Governor to come on over to McCauley and we guarantee him a better reception than was shown in Abilene, and though a one-horse town with a little over 200 souls, McCauley is tops when it comes to getting things done and if it takes the small rural towns to win this war, you can count on the old home town to do her part, and say, Governor, when you are out in West Texas you may deal around Abilene by turning off at hilltop on the Albany hill—and it's a bee line to McCauley.

Mr. Darden, one of the more faithful and efficient of the Herald's correspondents, is likewise an amiable and successful press agent for his home town of McCauley. Not that McCauley is a one-horse town or that Mr. Darden believes it to be. That is his whimsical way of referring to a community which is admittedly smaller than Abilene but larger than Pleasant Valley or Rawhide Creek Mill. He is correct, however in saying it takes the small rural towns, the rural towns, the towns and the cities as well as most of the folks in the country proper to win this war.

—Dallas News.

The Herald welcomes news items. Tell The Herald your news.

A. L. Stell of Anson Commander Candidate

The Anson Jones Post American Legion will offer the name of their Commander, A. L. Stell as a candidate for the place of District Commander of the American Legion, 17th District, at the Breckenridge Convention on May 16th.

Those who know Mr. Stell will testify that there's no better man for this honor than he. He served in the First World War for 19 months in the Ordnance Department. He has been very active in Legion affairs, and the past years Post Commander of his home organization.

At present Mr. Stell is Fifth Division Chairman of the High School Victory Corps. He has been drilling the Hamlin school boys for several weeks now, and should be well and favorably known to all Legion men in Hamlin. The Keifer Patterson Post (Hamlin) will have two votes in the convention and will probably join in making Stell the next District Commander.

To Hasten Victory

No American wants this war to go one minute beyond the time we can bring it to a victorious end. To hasten that victory—to save possibly the lives of millions of our boys on our far flung fronts—it is imperative that every American do his part in the Second War Loan. There is an investment to fit every purse. The most you can do is little enough compared with the sacrifice offered by our boys in service. They give their lives—you lend your money.

Harold Bailey, Nephew of Clarence Bailey, Shot By Japs On Gaudalcanal

One of the thrilling war stories to be published is that of Harold Bailey of Cleburne, a nephew of our Hamlin Clarence Bailey. Harold is a son of "Booster" Bailey, a young fellow formerly of Hamlin. He joined the Marines, weighing 120 lbs., trained and went into the Gaudalcanal battle at 150 pounds, and later was wounded by a Jap bullet or bullets; first his helmet was torn off and next a ball struck a rib, driving it into his lungs and passed through the body. He was carried back 100 yards for first aid, and then carried 17 miles on a stretcher by four men, blood transfusions and unconsciousness for five days.... good services by surgeons and pharmacists but no nurses... then flown to the New Hebrides, more transfusions, and then to New Zealand and later to San Diego.... all this was quite different travel to that of going over, up by Iceland, having a swell time on a luxury steamer... finally landing at Gaudalcanal taking only about 15 hours to unload and then drive into the Japs

for the kill or be killed... that battle was a long terrible one... it must be a haunting dream to one who was shot through and through.

Now that Bailey boy, hardly over 19, is back in the land of Bluebonnets, love and plenty, down at Cleburne with his parents, with a life of mere months back of him that expand into years and years. Will it be any wonder he will not want to tell about what he passed through? He has learned that the Japs smell bad due to their filthiness and "Foo-foo powder"; the remedy the Japs use to charm.... Bailey will want to forget how six or seven dead Japs smelt in the cave all night while they were with them.... but it was better for them to be in a hole with dead and stinking Japs than with live ones. Young Bailey is reported as saying "You don't see much flag-waving on the battle front" also significant, he says "I did not see a man that was afraid or one that wished to be out of the fight." So this is but one of the many stories that will come home from this far-flung war.

FARM FOR SALE—BARGAIN

80 acres, dandy five room bungalow, good barn, about half in cultivation, plenty of water, deep sandy land, about 10 miles south of Hamlin. \$400.00 cash. Good terms on balance.

H. O. CASSLE
Hamlin, Texas

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Niedecken and family of Abilene spent Easter Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. Madden in the Flat Top community. Other guests in the home were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Madden and family and Mr. and Mrs. L. Houghton and family of Hamlin.

STOCK FARM FOR SALE

340 acres, five room bungalow house, about 70 acres in pasture, balance good level farm, seven miles from Hamlin, in edge of oil field, seven-twelfths of minerals goes, good terms, for particulars, SEE

H. O. CASSLE

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About Soldiers--Sailors

Fort Dix, New Jersey
April 21, 1943

Dear Mr. Pope:

Just a few words to let you people down in good ole Hamlin, Texas, know that I am still O. K. I am now in Ft. Dix, New Jersey, only a few miles out of New York City. I have not yet been to New York but expect to go in the near future. Since I have been in the army I have been in about 24 states and needless to say that not as yet have I found a state that can come up to ours. About the prettiest state that I have been in yet is Virginia. It is a very beautiful state. All the houses are mostly two story and are built on hills just like the most of the pictures show.

I was in Washington, D. C., about three weeks ago and saw the President at a distance and also the White House. It is very beautiful there at this time of the year. I have been from the Pacific Ocean to the Atlantic. I wish to tell all the people that the morale of the boys is of the very highest. It is very important that the people back home correspond as much as possible with the boys in service, for that is one of their most treasured moments, to receive mail from home. They almost fight to get near the mail clerk, when he calls mail.

I receive the Herald every week and read every word that is printed in it. I am a supply clerk in my battery and like my work fine. I am in a very fine battery and like all the boys fine. They are one swell group of men, gathered from all parts of the U. S. A. for the same purpose—to defeat the enemies at the soonest possible time. I have three brothers now in the service, and may have more soon, and all hope to return to Hamlin and make it their home.

I hope that I can stay here for awhile as I have been on the move so much that I am kinda tired of traveling, although I have been very lucky to travel with this special training unit and if they travel more I hope to be one of the members.

Hope everyone is getting along fine, I will quit and leave space for someone else. Good luck Pipers.

It is gratifying to learn that some of our boys are getting the Herald. There is Staff Sgt. Wm. G. Garrison, whose brother died in the Philippines, and to whom the Purple Heart Award and Medal has been sent his mother, this week. Garrison writes about what he read and how much he enjoyed learning about the folks at home. He is in the Pacific.

We are now to tell you about our Paratrooper, Corporal Donnel T. Townsend, one of the Hitson fellows who is going to make a mark on some German area some day, not long off. He is at Ft. Bragg, N. C. He says, "I have just finished reading the Herald. I always look forward to Tuesday of each week, for I know I will get the home-town paper." And he says, "Mr. Pope, I believe this week's paper impressed me more, especially the Soldiers and Sailors. It does us all good to know that our friends and loved ones are behind us, but from the accounts of the boys on the front, we have just started. Let us all put a little more effort into the fight. BUY another BOND and SINK another Jap SHIP.... I still hold up for Texas in every way.... Hope some day to come back.... we are still going up and jumping out.... training to get the best of the ones we hope to meet some day soon.... Our outfit planned and put on one of the largest and best Parachute Problems ever to be done by any outfit in the history of the United States Army.... We hope to do our part some day. Sincerely, The Paratrooper, from Dear Old Hamlin, Texas.

(Well, folks that's the way one of our boys talks. What are WE, YOU, doing to back him up? Here's a tip, reliable information leads us to believe that this Fisher County boy will be where the jumping is tough by the time you read this).

The soldier fellow you saw on the streets Saturday with the DD insignia on his shoulder, was Owen Watson, from Camp Shelby, Miss., where the Dixie Division is located. This is where they are training the Americans-Japanese soldiers too. He will be here till May 1st.

Corporal William C. West spent last week at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. West who reside between Hamlin and McCauley. He is in Camp Chaffee, Ark.

Pvt. Langford McCracken of Garden City, Kansas, will return to camp Friday after spending a 15 days furlough with his wife and young daughter, DeNetta Jean, and with his mother who is ill.

Another McCauley boy has received a commission as Lieutenant. He is Lt. Joe W. (Buddy) Boyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Boyd. Lt. Buddy Boyd came in Sunday from Ft. Benning, Ga., where he was commissioned Friday. He will be 20 years old in Sept. He is on his way to Camp Roberts, Calif., next.

Sgt. Dave Huddleston, son of L. M. Huddleston of the Hitson community, was over the past week from Camp Barkeley on a 10 days furlough. Folks this is the biggest soldier we have seen so far, if we count height, width, weight, and sparkle of the eye. One like him would make about three Japs, and in combat would measure about 10 Japs.

Banks Green, who lives between Radium and Anson, was on the street Saturday, and inquiry of his soldier boys (three of them) he says Pvt. James has been given a long furlough to help him on the farm. Jas. was a truck driver at an air field near Memphis, Tenn, where he reports there are more truck drivers than trucks, so he has a chance to do some farming.

Pvt. "Blackey" Boiles came home last week from March Field, Calif., for a short furlough with home folks. He seemed to be quite happy and was looking fine.

Pvt. Clem Ball enjoyed an Easter visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clem Ball. He is stationed at Sheppard Field. He was joined here by his brother, Joe, who is a student in the State University, on the one day visit.

Pvt. Jack Graham, whose home is at Merkel, was one of the happy soldiers to visit the Hamlin community the past week and longer. Pvt. Graham had a good reason to be all smiles. While at home he came over to see his girl, Miss Margia Lynn Griffin, of the Plasterco community and their marriage took place in Merkel, Saturday night of April 17. Mrs. Graham was recently a Junior in the Hamlin High school. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Griffin. Her husband returned to Camp Shelby, Miss., and within a few weeks Mrs. Graham will go there to be near him till he is moved on. He has been in the army nearly two years.

Some time ago the Herald had something about soldier James R. Beene, a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Beene. We see now that he has been promoted to Staff Sgt.. He is in the X-Ray service of the Med. Detachment. He enlisted in Sept., 1940, and received his diploma in X-Ray in the school at San Francisco. He is now in Hammer Field, Med. Det., Fresno, Calif. He formerly lived at Sagerton.

FROM CONNECTICUT
April 18, 1943

Dear Mr. Pope:

Seems as if Spring is about to approach, all of which makes us boys from the South all the more happier. I must say though that because we have sunshine today is no sign we'll have the same tomorrow. This past week it has been a common occurrence in having rain, sunshine, snow, and of course the wind that naturally goes with such weather, all in one day. Nevertheless, this finds me and my buddies in tip top shape for whatever the summer may present to us.

Sir, I would like to express my hearty thanks and appreciation for the splendid, non-excelling way, considering size, etc., in which the citizens of Hamlin and neighboring communities are carrying on with their share of the great war expenses. I am very proud of the community of Swedonia, this being my home, in their having surpassed by far, their quota in bond sales as well as Red Cross donations. I am sure that other places are doing equally as well.

Sincerely yours,
Cpl. Weldon M. Reynolds
Bradley Field, Conn.

Pfc. Joe Garrett, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Garrett has given information reliably that he was in the Gaudalcanal Battle and came thru without a scratch, and that's fine news.

Cadet Landon V. Davis Jr. has been transferred from Basic Flying School at Tucson, Arizona, to Luke Field, Phoenix, Arizona for Advanced Flying.

Lieutenant Frank O. Hillier and his wife from the Hondo Air Field were here the past week end to visit home folks. The fact that Frank came in with a wife is about all the Herald could learn. Lt. Hillier, you old lucky Texan we ought to have gotten a long story about your marriage, who, where and when.

Private and Mrs. Milton L. Young spent the past several days visiting her sister, Mrs. Gordon Dunnham. He is stationed in Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. McGough returned Monday from Corpus Christi where they visited their son, Cadet Billy McGough who is training at the Naval Air Station. They report a wonderful trip and Billy is making progress.

Some good homes in Hamlin for sale.

H. O. CASSLE OVER BANK

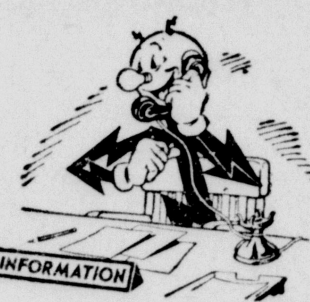
Mrs. Sallie L. Scott who has been visiting here with her sister, Mrs. B. S. Ferguson, has returned to her home in Douglas, Arizona.

Miss Adelle Dixon went to Dallas Wednesday to take Ronald Keith and Judy Parker to their home after a visit here with their grand mother, Mrs. B. S. Ferguson.



WILL HITLER BE ELECTROCUTED?

"Buy War Bonds and help turn the heat on Hitler!"



ADOLF may not live long enough to pay for his mass murders by actually sitting in the "hot seat." But electricity is already hastening the day of his doom!

Electricity drives delicate machines that turn out time fuses—and thundering presses that forge tank armor. Electricity is a basic part of every bayonet, bomber and battleship—of all America's roaring war production.

Even when war began, America had more electric power than all the Axis

countries combined. It's no military secret that today our power supply is far greater. And it's no secret, either, that the electric companies under experienced business management supply about seven-eighths of it!

Free Americans set world production records primarily because they are free—because they have grown up under a business system that

encourages initiative and invention—instead of reducing them to the ranks of Axis slaves.

Free Americans are freely giving billions of dollars to help put Hitler in the chair. But once he's there, a cent's worth of electricity will finish the job! Which goes to show what BIG things penny-priced electricity can do!

West Texas Utilities Company



Time to Check and Recondition Tractor

Points for Checkup Routine Are Listed

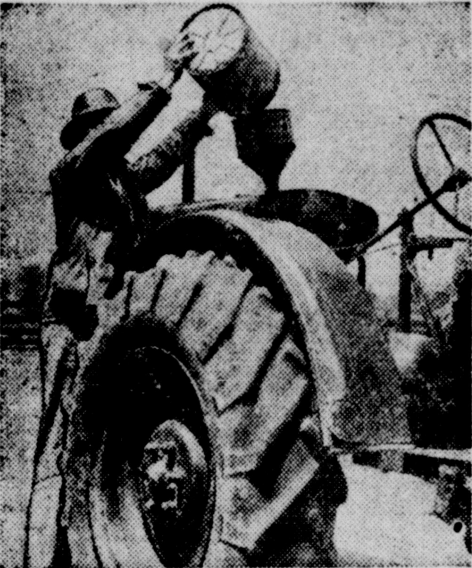
If you want to save yourself some exasperating moments in the field this spring—and make your tractor last longer, too—W. C. Krueger, extension agricultural engineer at Rutgers university, suggests you thoroughly check and recondition the tractor now.

"It doesn't make any difference whether a tractor has been in storage all winter or whether it has been in occasional use—it still needs a general reconditioning," Krueger says. And he lists some of the points of the check-up routine as follows:

If battery equipped, make sure unit is fully charged and that all connections are tight and that the battery is firmly supported and braced.

Take out spark plugs, clean and re-gap and replace those with appreciably worn terminals.

Oil magneto, wipe out distribu-



Perry Thompson, Indiana farmer, gives hungry tractor a feed of precious gasoline and gets going.

tor cap and flush impulse coupling with kerosene, lubricate.

Flush the water cooling system thoroughly and fill with clean rain water preferably. Tighten all connections and replace worn or gummy hose.

Thoroughly clean oil filter or install new element.

Thoroughly clean air filter according to instructions; change oil in oil bath type.

Check and flush entire oiling system by first pouring a mixture of gasoline and light lubricating oil, half and half, into each cylinder through the spark plug hole and crank the engine until the mixture has been forced out of the holes. This washes old oil from cylinders, valves and pistons and helps loosen piston rings. Use the same mixture for flushing the valve operating mechanism under the valve housing cover. Flush the crank case with kerosene, drain and refill with proper grade oil. Drain gear box and crank case and refill with specified grade of lubricant. Thoroughly grease and oil all points as specified in the lubrication chart.

Start the engine and operate slowly, watching for any unusual conditions. Sticking valves can be loosened with kerosene applied to the valve stem.

Pasteurize the Cream

To Keep Butter Sweet

Many farm people, making butter for home use for the first time in many years, are anxious to learn how to keep butter from developing a rancid flavor. According to Forrest C. Button, professor of dairy manufactures, Rutgers university, the answer to this question is pasteurization of the cream.

"The heat of pasteurization makes inactive the raw cream enzyme, which causes deterioration of the fat," Professor Button explains. "Pasteurization is a simple procedure: Just put the cream into a can or pail; place this container in a large kettle, boiler or other suitable container partly filled with water; place this on the stove and bring the cream to a temperature of 145 to 150 degrees Fahrenheit for 30 minutes. A shorter method is to heat the cream to 165 to 170 degrees for 10 or 15 minutes, but the 30-minute method is the standard procedure. The cream should be stirred while being heated.

When the pasteurization process is completed, Professor Button says that the cream should be cooled to 50 degrees Fahrenheit or lower and held at this temperature for at least three hours before churning in order to insure firm butter granules.

The Vanishing American

The farm laborer, today's vanishing American, has disappeared down one of two separate channels—the armed forces and industry. A high percentage of the skilled specialists who operate the mechanical gadgets of both army and navy have been from farms. Equipped with the rugged physique that comes from long hours of hard work in the open farm boys have been gratefully accepted by all the armed forces and are serving their country well.

Eggs by the Pound Instead of by Dozen

Trend Favors Both Buyer and Seller

A trend toward selling eggs by the pound instead of by the dozen is becoming evident in some sections of the country, and this is profitable both to the producer and the consumer, in the opinion of Myrtle Murray, home industries specialist of the Texas A. and M. college extension service.

Under present marketing practices, the consumer pays as much per dozen for extremely small eggs as for standard eggs which weigh two ounces each, or a pound and a half per dozen. Likewise, Miss Murray explains, the producer who markets standard size eggs or larger receives no price advantages for a better product.

Until the public and the trade accept the change from the dozen to pound basis, producers will have to obtain their premiums by offering high quality clean, infertile eggs correctly prepared for marketing.

Rev. J. E. Harrell returned from Childress Monday where he assisted Rev. T. M. McBrayer in a revival at King Memorial Methodist church last week. He reports a very good revival with several additions to the church.



Buy More War Bonds Today

CHICKENS — TURKEYS

Star Sulphurous Compound

Given in drinking water or feed destroys the intestinal germs and worms that cause most all diseases as they enter the fowl in feed, preventing most all diseases. Also rids them of blood-sucking lice, mites, fleas, blue bugs and red bugs that kill many of your chicks. Costs very little to use. Money back if not satisfied.

INZER PHARMACY
Hamlin, Texas, Phone 33 (20tf)

Classified

TIRE LOST—REWARD

A 7.00x15 tire, tube and wheel was lost on Highway 83 from Paducah to Anson, \$15.00 reward. Ship collect to VERNON B. RUCKER, Box 291, Killeen, Texas. (26P)

APARTMENTS

Have a three-room furnished apartment for rent. Phone or see MRS. G. H. JOINER (26c)

FOR SALE OR RENT

The best bargain in a small house and two lots in Hamlin. Only \$400 cash. Three rooms—one new. See MRS. MARY E. ZIPPS Corner of 3rd and Hope Ave. (26P)

CANE SEED AND MAIZE

Have a lot of good Dutch Boy cane seed for sale at 3 cents per lb. bulk or \$3.25 per hundred sacked. Also some threshed maize at 2c lb. at my barn, Flat Top farm. Also a milch cow for sale or trade, a real good 4 gallon Jersey with young calf. JOHNNIE HINES (26P)

BICYCLE FOR SALE

Have a good bicycle, man size, for sale at a bargain if taken quickly. See it at the (26P)
BUTLER BROS. SERVICE STA.

PUPS TO GIVE AWAY

If you want a nice pet or a good rat dog, come get one of my female Small Stock Shepherds. Just four of them—Come in a hurry.
T. A. JEAN (26P)

TANK WANTED

Want to buy a tin water storage tank, 40 barrels or more.
WALLACE WALTON (26P)

FOR SALE

A Simmons baby bed with a nice clean cotton mattress. Price \$7.00.
MRS. CECIL BROWN (26P)

MAIZE SEED ALL THE TIME

Have combined maize seed at all times, Martin variety, \$3.00 per 100 pounds. (26-3t)
F. B. MOORE GRAIN CO.

WANT A FARM HAND

I would like to get a good, experienced, reliable farm hand, any race—except I can't board 'em. See or write LA FOY PATTERSON Route 2, Hamlin (26P)

BILLFOLD LOST

A billfold was lost Saturday night at the picture show. Had all kinds of identifications. Keep the \$3.00 if you care but please return the papers. Please do return my papers.
CHARLES ELLISON Rt. 1 (P)

LOST CAR JACK

I lost a Scissors car jack on the highway near my home. Reward will be paid for its return to (26P)
G. A. SEYMORE

HOME LAUNDRY

I am equipped to do good home laundering....washing and ironing, rough dry and wet. You bring it and get it. In block south Methodist church. (26P)
MRS. WALTER PACE

TOMATO PLANTS

Have some large individually potted tomato plants, best kinds for this climate.

HAMLIN FLOWER SHOP
Elva Greenway (26-2t)

MOTHERS' FLOWERS

Remember to order your flowers for Mother early. We have just what you need.

HAMLIN FLOWER SHOP
Elva Greenway (26-2t)

COTTON SEED FOR SALE

Plenty of Hybrid Cotton Seed, 90 per cent germination, \$1.50 per bu. Also have plenty of white cane seed, five cents per lb. Bring your sacks. (26-4P)
J. M. STUBBS
Five miles Northeast of Hamlin



"Thanks, Mom..."

"THANKS for all the things you do every day that will help bring me and the rest of the boys home sooner... When I see men out here giving their all



Get the Victory Habit...

Buy more War Savings Bonds and Stamps every pay day. Fifty \$18.75 Bonds will pay for one Jeep. These go-anywhere cars carry combat forces over the roughest ground at jack-rabbit speed. Do your part to win the war.

for Victory, it's easy for me to understand why it's so important for the folks back home to sacrifice and do without. But you, Mom, are doing a swell job even though you're far away from this mess... and that makes me specially proud. Thanks for saving fats and greases... I hear them go off with an almighty bang every day. Thanks for saving food... I'm eating some of it now. Thanks for buying bonds... God knows we need the tanks and guns and planes that are bought with your and Dad's money. Honest, Mom, I think they should give medals to women like you who are fighting the good fight for freedom back on the home front!"



LONE STAR GAS COMPANY

VICTORY'S SONS

Below him, like a toy boat floating in a pool of water, was the Japanese battleship Haruna.

All around him was winged death, hurled from the 29,000-ton Haruna's anti-aircraft batteries.

Three times this captain of a U. S. flying fortress brought the Haruna under his bombsights. Three times the bombs straightened into a pattern of curved flight, screaming their way to the deck of the target.

The Haruna flamed, then went to the bottom. Captain Colin Kelly's lone bomber had sent an enemy battleship to its grave.

Not more than two minutes from his home field, Japanese fighting planes dived out of the clouds and fired Kelly's ship. Kelly signalled five members of his crew to parachutes and safety.

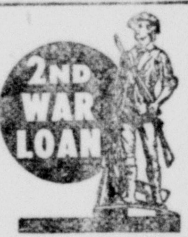
Then—a blinding explosion. Kelly's lieutenant, blown free, snapped his parachute and landed safely.

But Captain Colin Kelly rode on to death and to glory.



BACK UP YOUR BOY

Buy an Additional Bond Today



An Indiana farmer hitches up his team of mules. There's plenty of use for a team these days.

This means that eggs should be gathered at least twice a day and kept in a clean wire basket until they are cool and ready for packing. They should then be graded as to size, putting the uniformly small eggs, the medium (24 ounces to the dozen) and large ones in separate containers. They should also be candled, and sort out the defective eggs.

Eggs should always be packed with the pointed end down. If packing materials have been used previously, care should be taken to see that they are clean. Avoid wrapping eggs in newspapers.

Miss Murray recommends that eggs be marketed at least twice a week so that consumers can be assured of fresh produce.

BOYD CHAPEL CHIRPS

By Mrs. James Ferguson

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Holden, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Young and Judy attended District Conference at Baird Tuesday.

Misses Cummings and Jones, the teachers of Boyd Chapel school, entertained the children with a basket picnic Friday. Ice cream and cake were also served in the afternoon.

Mrs. C. D. Bingham is now in charge of the school lunch room.

The ladies of the Red Cross quilted Tuesday at the church.

Miss Toby Estes of Post visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Estes last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Haught and baby of the Hitson community also visited Mr. and Mrs. Estes Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Shaver, who have been working in a defense plant in Utah, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cornelius.

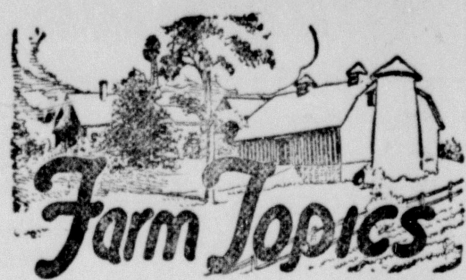
Mr. and Mrs. James Ferguson spent Sunday in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ferguson of Hamlin. Others visiting them Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ferguson and Jo Ann of Sylvester, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Ferguson of Saint Jo, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ferguson, Mrs. Roy Parkman of Roby, Mrs. Charles Ferguson and Leldon Jr., of Plasterco and Rev. East.

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"THEY GIVE THEIR LIVES—YOU LEND YOUR MONEY"

Buy More War Bonds Today



Women in Great Farm Mobilization

Taking Over Jobs Of Fighting Kin

Food is becoming more than ever "woman's business."

In 1943 she not only buys it and prepares it for her family. She's growing it and harvesting it, as well!

From the Atlantic to the Pacific come reports of a highly successful feminine occupation of the land. Women are handling tractors, driving farm trucks, running combines and other machines, and even riding the range on some of the West's broad grazing acres.

They're taking over the jobs of husbands and brothers in the armed forces, and of the thousands of hired workers also lost to Uncle Sam's army and navy and industrial plants.

Back in the days of World War I women "farmerettes" did their part, too, but agriculture has changed since 1917. Today's farm is a highly mechanized plant, with tractors



Milking three times a day will help meet '43 goals.

numbering about 1,800,000 as compared with the 85,000 of 25 years ago. Motor trucks in operation have jumped from around 245,000 to close to 2,000,000. These and many other mechanical aids to the farmer require trained operators and repairmen, even though they are releasing a lot of manpower.

Women are being prepared for both jobs, and thousands are already busy keeping the farm machinery rolling. Vocational agriculture classes in the schools and instruction offered by farm implement companies have both contributed to providing skilled feminine mechanics.

Colleges and universities, as well as high schools, are giving courses in agriculture for the girls. To increase their interest in farm work, the University of California at Los Angeles has instituted a series of farm festivals.

Manpower experts estimate that 70 per cent more women were doing farm work in 1942 than in 1940.

Good Care Assures

More Young Lambs

Saving a high percentage of the new lamb crop and getting them ready for an early market is one of the important wartime jobs of the American farmer, according to Dale C. Snodgrass, animal husbandry extension specialist of North Carolina State college.

By following a few simple, well-established practices, the sheepman can be sure of success with his young animals. Snodgrass lists some of these practices as follows:

Have the ewes in a good, strong, thrifty condition before lambing, and be sure that the flock is securely separated from other stock, especially hogs.

Do not disturb a ewe at lambing time, unless she needs help, but be sure to stay on the job. Carelessness may mean the loss of a lamb. See that the young lamb nurses and does not become chilled. Should the ewe disown her lamb, try to get her to claim it.

Gradually increase the feed given to the ewe after the lamb is about one week old to stimulate the flow of milk. During lambing time, the ewe should be housed at night and during bad weather.

If a new-born lamb becomes chilled, take it to a warm room and put it in warm water up to its neck. After the young animal is warm, take it out of the water and dry it thoroughly before placing it with the ewe in a warm dry place.

Conserving Fuel

It is clear that farmers have a vital stake in the conservation of gasoline and fuel oil. If supplies run too low, not only will production and distribution of essential food and fiber be hindered, but the ability of many farmers to continue operation will be endangered.

Farmers can be assured the amounts of gasoline and fuel oil which they actually need for productive uses and heating. Any uses beyond these must be eliminated.

WE SLING GYPSUM

Gypse Reporters

(Frances Nichols—Geraldine Brown)

Well, it looks as if the Easter Bunny didn't lay many eggs this year. After all I guess he's doing his bit for Uncle Sam too.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Hines Sunday were Mrs. Audrey Daniel and sons, Milton and Freddie Mac, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Chandler and daughter, Helen of Hamlin.

Mrs. John Doby returned to Houston with her little granddaughter, Donna last Saturday. She will stay for a short visit in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Martin also Buddy and Christine of Merkel visited Mr. and Mrs. June Rhoton Sunday.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Riddle Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Gallagher also Elaine and Donnie, Mrs. Pete Hale and son Jim of Jayton, and Mrs. D. L. Riddle of Hamlin.

Mr. H. C. Carr was called to Oklahoma last Wednesday, because of the death of his sister, Mrs. Ruth Bryson. He was accompanied by his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Fahey visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon R. Johnson of Post.

Mrs. T. W. Toler of Wichita Falls the aunt of Marvin Rhoton, Edd Griffin and Mrs. Tubbie Owens died last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tompkins and Billie Faye visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Phillips of Hitson Sunday.

El Deen Crane of Abilene is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Early of Plasterco.

Misses Wilda Jean Fancher and Peggy Glen Polk visited in Abilene over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Jones and family visited in Stamford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hern Eaton and family of Hobbs, New Mexico and Herman Eaton visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Eaton and Mr. and Mrs. George.

Mrs. Elleby returned to her home Sunday after a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Riddle.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Durham and family of Sweetwater visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Bond over the week end.

Miss Iris Ann Criswell visited Miss Treasure Teague in San Angelo over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Rawlins visited Mr. Rawlin's mother, Mrs. A. Rawlins in Munday Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Inzer Stinnett of Vancouver, Washington, and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stinnett of Hamlin visited Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Jones Friday.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Ewins were Mr. and Mrs. George Ewing and son George Alton, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Ewing also Shirley and Doyle of Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. Voshel Ewing and Donald of Rotan, Mrs. R. E. Ewing, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Mereworth of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hallmark and Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Lockhart.

Dean and Corkey Criswell visited in Oklahoma last week. They visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Brown of Alva, Okla.

Pvt. Glen Wesley Bond of Camp Barkeley visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Bond and old friends Sunday.

Mrs. M. L. Tolar of San Angelo is visiting old friends in Plasterco this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Galloway and family visited relatives in Ft. Worth over the week end.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brown last week were Mrs. Jack Whorten of Hobbs, N. M., and Mrs. Lloyd Hamlin of Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Earley and daughter Wanda of Hawley visited Mrs. Earley, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Dunn and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Earley.

Pfc. B. L. Smith is visiting his wife and also his parents. Pfc. Smith is now stationed at the Amarillo Air Field. He will be there for five months as he is attending a mechanics school. He is home on a three days leave.

Pvt. Eugene and Mrs. White of Lubbock and Mrs. Velma Hancock of Sweetwater visited in the home of Mrs. A. L. Haught over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Cox attended the celebration of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. May's Golden Wedding Anniversary, Sunday afternoon.

You are all invited to attend church Sunday. The pulpit will be filled by Rev. Phil J. Little of Abilene.

Notice the date after your name.

Delinted Cotton Seed

The Rotan Cotton Oil Mill is prepared to Delint your planting cotton seed. Bring them sacked. Prices reasonable. Good service. See or phone

J. E. MOODY



Every child today will be an active citizen in the world of tomorrow. They must grow strong and healthy, to carry on the heritage of this Nation.

With a shortage of milk, and possible rationing facing us, today—we must make every effort to provide milk and foods for the growing generation.

COTTONSEED MEAL

Provides the Rich Protein necessary TO MAKE MORE MILK, BUTTER AND CHEESE from our Dairy Herds.

More Cotton grown in 1943 will help furnish this critically-needed Protein. An extra Bale for Victory in 1943 will also mean a stronger generation in 1953.

HAMLIN COTTON OIL MILL

J. E. MOODY, Mgr. PHONE 175
HAMLIN, TEXAS



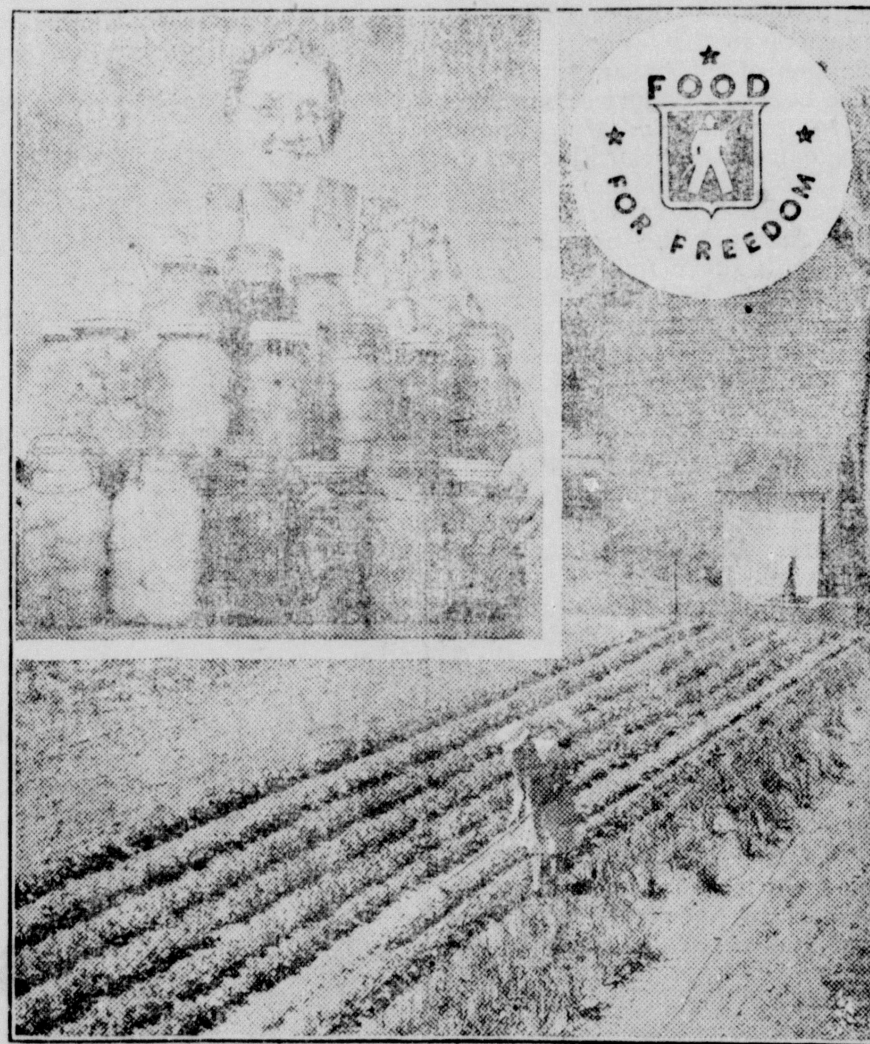
Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Battle arrived this week from Alder, Washington to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Faulkenberry and her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Rogers and Mrs. Joe Faulkenberry in McCaulley.

Mrs. Curley Johnson of Sweetwater came over Sunday to spend some time with her father, Otto Welch while Mr. Johnson is in New York taking a special course in Photography. Mrs. Johnson was Nora Welch before her marriage.

The Herald anywhere, 1 year, \$1

Notice the date after your name.

"Don't Worry About Us—



—we'll grow our own food! That's the battle-cry of America's six million farm families as the gardening season rolls around. Growing vegetables at home relieves overburdened hauling facilities, releases more commercial vegetables for the fighting men, and insures a wholesome, inexpensive diet for each family.



Clubs-Society



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Sacred Program

The Schubert Club met Wednesday for their last study program for year.

A Sacred program was rendered by Mrs. H. A. Johnston as program chairman.

Mrs. Johnston discussed Lowellson and his contemporaries and her numbers on the program were: "Oh Day of Rest and Gladness," "The Club."

Vocal Solo, "How Beautiful Upon the Mountain," Mrs. Maberry.

Duet, "O Love That Will Not Let Me Go," Mrs. McBride and Mrs. Ell.

Whistling Solo, "Sweet Hour of Prayer," Mrs. Butcher.

A melody of sacred songs by the club.

Choral practice followed the program.

The club will bring a program in assembly at the High school April 15th at 1:30 P. M.

P. T. A. To Meet May Fourth

The Elementary P. T. A. will meet Tuesday, May 4 at 4:30 P. M. The program is as follows:

Songs.

"Health Is Life," Miss Georgia Moore.

Reducing Accidents to Children, All Members.

"A Key To Conduct," Mrs. Eddie Day.

Installation of officers.

NAZARENE CHURCH

We appreciate the good attendance at our church last Sunday. Let us keep it up. Nothing is worth more to a community than to have a church-going, church-loving and a God-fearing people. Let's make our town and community worth living in and for.

Our Sunday School will open next Sunday at 9:45 A. M.

Morning Worship, 11:00 A. M.

N. Y. P. S. at 7:45 P. M.

Evening service at 8:15 P. M.

Come worship with us. You are always welcome.

Dan D. Jones, Pastor

METHODIST CHURCH

JAMES E. HARRELL, Pastor

Sunday School at 10 A. M.

Morning Worship at 11 o'clock.

Young People's hour of recreation, 6:30 P. M.

Youth Fellowship program at 7:30 P. M.

Evening service, 8:30.

Choir practice immediately after evening service.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service meets Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Prayer service Wednesday evening at 8:30.

The Pastor will preach at both the morning and evening services Sunday.

The communion service will be observed at the morning service. The great old hymns of the church will be sung and you will enjoy the fine music rendered by the choir.

Easter Sunday was a great day in our church. Why not keep the Easter enthusiasm in regular church attendance? Go to church Sunday.

We welcome visitors.

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CALVARY

BAPTIST CHURCH

J. W. CUNDIEFF, Pastor

10 A. M., Bible School.

11 A. M., Preaching service.

7 P. M., Preaching service.

8 P. M., Wednesday, prayer meeting.

8 P. M., Bible study.

Members are expected. Visitors will find a friendly welcome.

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Full Gospel Mission

(Sid Liles, Director)

The Full Gospel Mission invites you to come to their services.

Sunday School 10 A. M.

Preaching Service 11 A. M.

Sunday afternoon service, 3:00.

Evening services, 8:30.

Wednesday prayer service 8:30 P. M.

Singing Friday evening, 8:30.

Saturday night services, 8:30.

Come and the Lord will bless you.

Hamlin Couple Marry In San Diego, Calif.

Miss Bernice Beard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Beard, and Vesta L. Townley, AM 2-C, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Townley of Hamlin, were married Wednesday evening, April 14, at San Diego, California.

The double ring ceremony was performed by Rev. J. G. Bills, minister of the Church of Christ.

The bride wore a powder blue dress and hat with navy coat and other accessories of navy. Her corsage was of white orchids. Her only attendant, Mrs. Grace Lenz, Washington, D. C., wore a navy suit with pink blouse and hat with navy accessories, and a corsage of pink roses.

Tech. Sergeant Ben Townley of the U. S. Marine Corp., brother of the groom, was best man.

The bride is a graduate of Hamlin High school and of a business college in Abilene. For several months she has been employed as a stenographer in the Treasury Department in Washington, D. C.

Mr. Townley, is also a Hamlin High school graduate, and has been in the service of the U. S. Navy for two years. He is now stationed at San Diego, California, where he and his wife are making their home.

Assemblies of God CHURCH

Dewey N. Helms, Pastor

Sunday School 10 A. M.

Preaching Service 11 A. M.

Evening Service 8:30 P. M.

Wednesday evening prayer meeting, 8:30 P. M.

Saturday evening young people's service, 8:30 P. M.

We invite you to attend.

4-SQUARE CHURCH

(Corner of 6th and Alamo)

Jack T. Watkins, Pastor

REGULAR WEEKLY SCHEDULE:

Sunday School at 9:45 A. M.

Morning worship at 11 o'clock.

Crusader service at 7:30 P. M.

Evening service at 8:30 P. M.

Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 8:30 P. M.

Saturday evening service at 8:30.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Doyle Banta, Minister

SUNDAY

Bible Study at 10:00 A. M.

Worship Service at 11:00 A. M.

Bible study at 7:00 P. M.

Worship hour at 8:00 P. M.

MONDAY

Ladies' Bible class at 3:30 P. M.

WEDNESDAY

Bible study at 8:00 P. M.

Card of Thanks

We are deeply grateful to our friends and neighbors for their many acts and words and expressions of sympathy shown us in hours of sadness when death took our dear wife and mother. We thank you for every token of love and sympathy.

J. W. Gay and Children

Mrs. R. W. McCurdy went to Tonkawa, Oklahoma, Saturday for a week end visit with Flyer Chunk McCurdy who is in Secondary training there.

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Mrs. Reba Sosebee of Dallas is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Lauderdale, near McCaulley.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Howington and daughter Mrs. Billie Jene Bailey and little son Melton, spent several days of this week with their daughter, Mrs. J. L. Woodson near Stamford. Mrs. Woodson (formerly Madge Howington) accompanied them to Hamlin Thursday.

Good loans available on well located homes in Hamlin.
H. O. CASSLE

Mrs. Joseph D. Houston of Hollywood, Calif., came Tuesday to visit her aunt, Mrs. Landon Davis. She was on her way to Camp Crowder, Mo., to visit her husband who is a corporal in the Signal Corps of the Air Force.

Mrs. J. E. Watson of Borger is spending about two weeks in the Hamlin community visiting her brother, Harrison Hooper and wife and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon E. Dunn and daughters have returned from an extended Texas trip and are again at their Orchard View Farm, south of Boyd Chapel, (formerly the Colwell Fruit Farm).

Ralph Bowman, Jr., a Hamlin freshman, age 16, left Tuesday afternoon for Portland, Oregon, to join his father in the ship yards. Ralph is large for his age and ought to make a good ship builder.

W. H. EYSSSEN, JR.

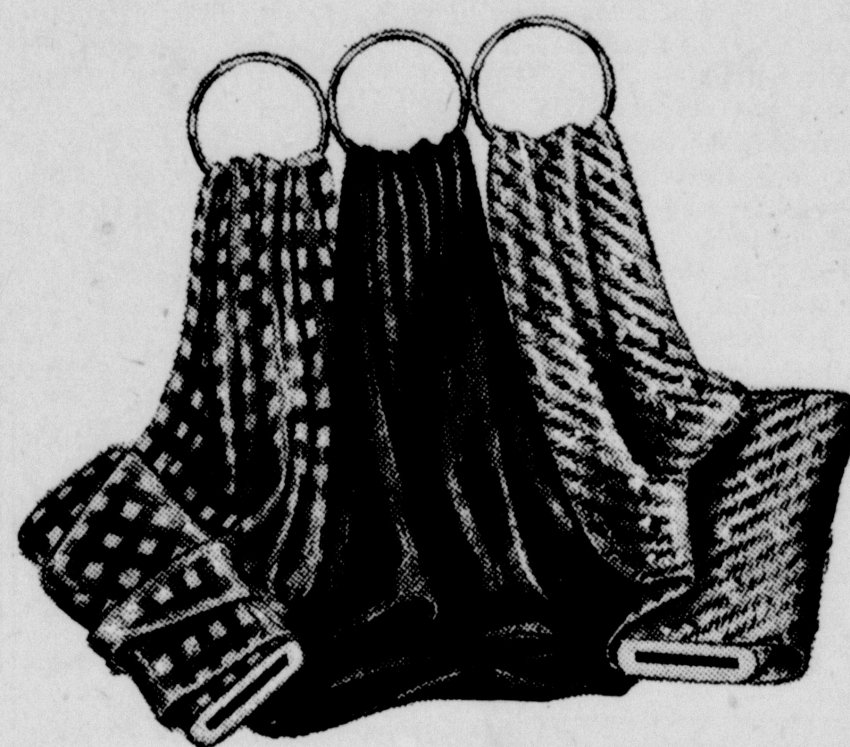
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POT SHOTS FROM M^cCAULLEY

BY GEO. DARDEN

Yes, it was no surprise that the War Bond drive in McCaulley has already gone over the top. Our quota was \$7,000 yet we are near the \$10,000 mark, thanks to the fine spirit of our citizens. Sorry we had a mix-up on the rally which we published in this column for Tuesday night of this week. We were instructed by one member of the committee to write it up for Tuesday night and for some reason or other the meeting was changed to Thursday night of last week. It is quite embarrassing to confuse the public with conflicting dates and too, it is the reporter that gets the cussing.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Rector last Saturday night were: Mrs. G. W. Tate of Lubbock, and Mrs. Clyde Angel and son Robert Tate of Big Spring.

From Lamesa and visiting relatives in this community last week end were Mr. Bill Maberry, Mrs. B. Fancher and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Miers and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Stevens from Kansas were week end visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Maberry.

Billie Max Waldrop of Abilene visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Waldrop over the week end.

Mrs. Joe Miers from Midland, Ga., is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Miers in McCaulley for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Eivens and children of Fort Worth were Sunday

visitors with relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. Frank Maberry is on the sick list and was for a few days in the Stamford hospital.

Mr. J. H. Milsap is improving after a long illness and he was for several weeks undergoing treatment in a Rotan hospital.

Visiting sick relatives and friends in this community last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Poe, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hodnett, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hodnett of Neinda and Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Miers and children of Hobbs.

Mrs. J. W. Toles of Wichita Falls died Sunday at her home in that city. Mrs. Toles is a sister of Mr. J. H. Rhoten of McCaulley. Those attending the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Rhoten and son Marvin of this community.

Misses Nola and Alene Akins of Fort Worth and Miss Corene Akins of Abilene spent the week end in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Akins in McCaulley.

Miss Mary Callaway and her room mate spent the week end in the home of parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Callaway east of town.

Mrs. Louis Johnson tells us that her husband, Pfc. Louis Johnson is now stationed in Camp Carson, Colorado.

Lt. Joe (Buddy) Boyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Boyd, is home on leave and will soon be on his way to Camp Roberts, Calif. Lt. Boyd has finished his training at the officers training school in Ft. Benning, Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Earl Madden of Hamlin spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Vera Jayroe in McCaulley.

New officers elected for the P. T. A. for the coming year are: Mrs. Melvin Courtney, president; Mrs. C. D. Jones, vice-president; Mrs. J. W. Rush, secretary; Mrs. Levi McCollum, treasurer and Mrs. Geo. Darden, reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. Creed Smith of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maberry last Sunday.

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COMMENT No. 1. A warning to Tojo and all of the yellow imps of the Japanese empire: When you murdered our boys that flew over Japan, you not only committed the unforgivable crime of modern ages but you have so instilled hatred in the hearts of the American people that those of the Rising Sun empire who were responsible for the murder in cold blood of our American flyers will pay and pay and pay. Yes, next time your imperial Palace that houses that yellow ruler won't be overlooked. It shouldn't have been overlooked the last time but we in America take pride in living up to agreements and when our government signs a document with another nation it's not just another piece of paper as you, Mr. Tojo, and your gang have disregarded every moral code and principle known to mankind. Yes, the American people are not only angry, they are damned mad and lest you forget, Tojo, you haven't scared the American people but we admit you have done something to them, and you will find out just what it is when the boys come flying in from every direction over Japan. The Army, Navy and Air Corps of America will always remember how you murdered our flyers and before this little thing is over, Tojo, you and your gang will cry for the rocks and the mountains to fall on you to hide you from the wrath of a United America.

COMMENT No. 2. The mothers and fathers of these United States are fed up on would-be politicians of the isolationist group who seek to mislead our people by underhand methods. All of the people have one objective in mind and that is: To win this war and we all want nothing short of an unconditional surrender of the enemy. The fantastic ideas hatched up by some isolationists who direct their criticism at the president is nothing short of ignorance in the first degree and of course there are some few people who would follow a wolf in sheep's clothing to the end of the rainbow. A house divided cannot stand, and the sooner we learn to use our heads for something besides a hat rack, the sooner we will win.

A DARDEN-O-GRAM

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Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brown are parents of a daughter born Monday, April 26 in Borger. Mrs. Brown is the former Bernice Shelton of Hamlin.

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Mrs. P. R. Wilemon returned home Wednesday from a visit with her daughters, Mrs. W. H. Tripp of Abilene, Mrs. T. E. Bressie, Fort Worth and Mrs. T. E. Lail, Glenrose.

RED STAMP WEEK

Warning! Red Stamps A, B, C, D Expire Midnight April 30, 1943

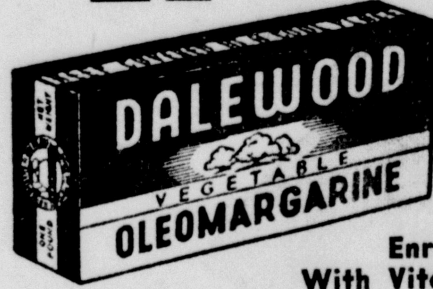
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Stamps buy identical amounts everywhere...but you save money at Safeway!!!

Dalewood, Finest Quality Margarine

Lb. 21¢

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Values NOT RATIONED

Honey	Sioux Bee Extracted	16-Oz. Jar	30¢
Post Toasties		11-Oz. Pkg.	8¢
Grapenuts Flakes		7-Oz. Pkg.	10¢
Dog Food	SAS or Vigo Dehydrated	Reg. Pkg.	9¢

Soap Values

Su-Purb Soap	Granulated Soap	24-Oz. Pkg.	21¢
Pop Powder	Water Softener	24-Oz. Pkg.	23¢
P&G Soap		4 Lge. Bars	19¢

RED STAMPS "E" GOOD ALL WEEK

Sausage	Libby's Vienna	2 No. 1/2 Cans	25¢	Points Per Can 2
Margarine	Sunnybank	Lb.	17¢	Points Per Can 5
Margarine	Blue Bonnet	Lb.	22¢	Points Per Can 5
Pure Lard		1-Lb. Crtn.	18¢	Points Per Lb. 5
Shortening	Texas Maid	4-Lb. Crtn.	75¢	Points Per Crtn 20

Blue Stamp Values

BLUE STAMPS D-E-F EXPIRE APRIL 30

Orange Juice	Old South	No. 2 Can	15¢	Points Per Can 4
Orange Juice	Old South	44-Oz. Can	39¢	Points Per Can 9
Juice	Town House Grapefruit	No. 2 Can	12¢	Points Per Glass 4
Tomatoes	Standard Quality	No. 2 Can	10¢	Points Per Can 16
Tomato Juice	Sunny Dawn	24-Oz. Can	12¢	Points Per Can 12

Values Not Rationed

Milk	Cherub Evaporated	Tall Can	9¢
Bread	Julia Lee Wright's ENRICHED White	24-Oz. Loaf	11¢

Flour Kitchen Craft ENRICHED 24-Lb. 1.19

Flour Harvest Blossom 24-Lb. Bag 1.05

Meal Mammy Lou Finest Quality 10-Lb. Bag 40¢

Beverly Peanut Butter Pint Jar 27¢

Safeway Produce

NO POINTS REQUIRED

Large Central American Sweet Juicy Florida

Bananas Oranges

2 Lbs. 23¢ Lb. 8¢

Cauliflower Fancy Calif. Lb. 19¢

Carrots Radishes or Green Onions 2 Bun. 9¢

Green Beans Texas Fresh Lb. 17¢

English Peas Calif. Fresh 2 Lbs. 29¢

Rhubarb California Cherry Lb. 10¢

Strawberries Louisiana Red-Ripe Pint Box 25¢

Asparagus Fancy California Lb. 17¢

Calavos California 30 Size Each 10¢

Squash White or Yellow Lb. 5¢

SAFEWAY MEATS

Red STAMPS "E" Good All Week

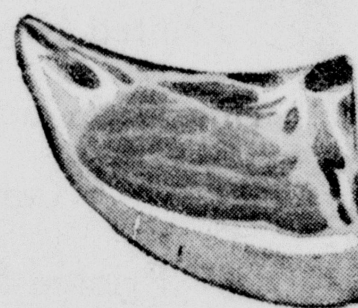
Fresh Pork

CHOPS

Center Cuts

Lb. 37¢

Points Per Lb. 8



Pork Chops Loin or Blade End Lb. 33¢ Points Per Lb. 7

Chuck Roast Choice Beef Lb. 32¢ Points Per Lb. 6

Loin Steak Choice Beef Lb. 39¢ Points Per Lb. 8

Short Ribs or Plate Choice Beef Lb. 22¢ Points Per Lb. 4

Beef Liver Fresh Sliced Lb. 29¢ Points Per Lb. 6

Pork Liver Fresh Sliced Lb. 25¢ Points Per Lb. 5

Sliced Bacon Grade "A" Lb. 45¢ Points Per Lb. 8

Sausage Smoked Rings Lb. 25¢ Points Per Lb. 5

Longhorn Cheese Lb. 37¢ Points Per Lb. 8

Assorted BAKED LOAVES

Tomato, Pickle and Pimiento, Macaroni and Cheese

Lb. 33¢ Points Per Lb. 6

FRESH or FROZEN FISH — NOT RATIONED

POULTRY — NOT RATIONED

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With JUDY CANOVA

And JOE E. BROWN

LATEST NEWS REEL

Wednesday and Thursday

NEINDA NEWS

By Ettie Hodges and

Artha Lee Tollison

Miss Johnnie Mae Brown of Midland visited her parents and other relatives here Sunday.

Mr. Raybon of Amarillo visited his wife and children here last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Rodgers and children and Miss Ima Lou Timmons of Gorman visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Hamlin spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Hooper.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Brown and family Sunday were: Pvt. and Mrs. George Brown, Mr. and Mrs. J.

E. Brown and Don Poe, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Mercer and daughters, and Mr. and Mrs. John R. Brown and children.

Misses Edyth and Ettie Hodges spent last week end in Abilene.

Pauline Hubbard and Ima Belle Rodgers of Fort Worth visited relatives Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wilemon and Guy Max of Odessa visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Scarborough, Mrs. Ruth Dixon and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Melville Jarnagin and children in Roby Saturday.

Mrs. Bill Maynard and children spent Sunday in Hamlin with Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Maynard.

The school children enjoyed an Easter egg hunt Friday.

FLAT TOP NEWS

By Laverne Jenkins

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Whiteley and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Dunn at Avoca Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Bruner and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bruner Sunday.

Mrs. Earl Brown spent Monday with Mrs. Gattie Rich of Neinda and Mrs. C. D. Bingham of Boyd Chapel.

Mrs. Henry Wilgus of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Jenkins Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Alma Holmes and daughter Mildred of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. Larry Holmes over the week end.

Betty Jean Barton visited Mildred

Holmes of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hill and family visited Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Hill of Hitson Sunday.



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